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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of:

Inventor or Application Identifier:

Robert H. Whitcher, et al.

Entitled: SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR SELECTING A COMPRESSION ALGORITHM ACCORDING TO AN AVAILABLE BANDWIDTH

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